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For: **INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICES HAVING FUSE STRUCTURES
INCLUDING BUFFER LAYERS AND METHODS OF FABRICATING
THE SAME**

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Office Action mailed March 16, 2005.

If any extension of time for the accompanying Amendment and Response is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Title:

Please replace the title with the following amended title:

METHODS OF FABRICATING INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICES
HAVING FUSE STRUCTURES INCLUDING BUFFER LAYERS ~~AND~~
~~METHODS OF FABRICATING THE SAME~~